

# Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

Survey No. WA-II-1149

Magi No.

DOE ☐ yes ☐ no

## 1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic

and/or common David Baker House

## 2. Location

street &amp; number 8543 Barnes Rd. not for publication

city, town Boonsboro ☒ vicinity of 6 congressional district

state MD county WA

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial
			<input type="checkbox"/> military
			<input type="checkbox"/> museum
			<input type="checkbox"/> park
			<input type="checkbox"/> religious
			<input type="checkbox"/> scientific
			<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
			<input type="checkbox"/> other

## 4. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name David Lawson Baker

street &amp; number 8543 Barnes Rd. telephone no.:

city, town Boonsboro state and zip code MD 21713

## 5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Washington Co. Court House Liber 1634

street &amp; number West Washington St. Folio 542

city, town Hagerstown state MD 21740

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date ☐ federal ☐ state ☐ county ☐ local

depository for survey records

city, town state

## 7. Description

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Condition		Check one		Check one	
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved	date of move _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed				

Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

### Description:

#### Summary:

This two story house is of frame or log construction. The four bay long building stands east of a stone retaining wall. The building retains original window sash and a chimney.

This two story house appears to be of either frame or log construction. It stands on the east side of Barnes Road behind a stone retaining wall. The house is four bays long by two bays deep. A porch with turned posts shelters the south side. A one story shed-roofed addition covers the north side. The house retains many original sash windows and a brick chimney. The building is covered with aluminum siding.

## 8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> Archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> humanitarian	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> theater	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation	
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)	

### Specific dates

### Builder/Architect

check: Applicable Criteria: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D  
and/or

Applicable Exceptions: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G

Level of Significance: ☐ national ☐ state ☐ local

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

### Significance:

This mid 19<sup>th</sup> century house may be of log construction. It is a typical dwelling of a small farmer or tradesman of that time period.

## 9. Major Bibliographical References

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See attached Continuation Sheet.

## 10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nomination property \_\_\_\_\_

Quadrangle name FunkstownQuadrangle scale 1:24,000UTM References DO NOT COMPLETE UTM REFERENCES

A 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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B 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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C 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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D 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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E 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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F 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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G 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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H 

Zone	Easting	Northing
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### Verbal boundary description and justification

See attached Continuation Sheet

### List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	code	county	code
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## 11. Form Prepared By

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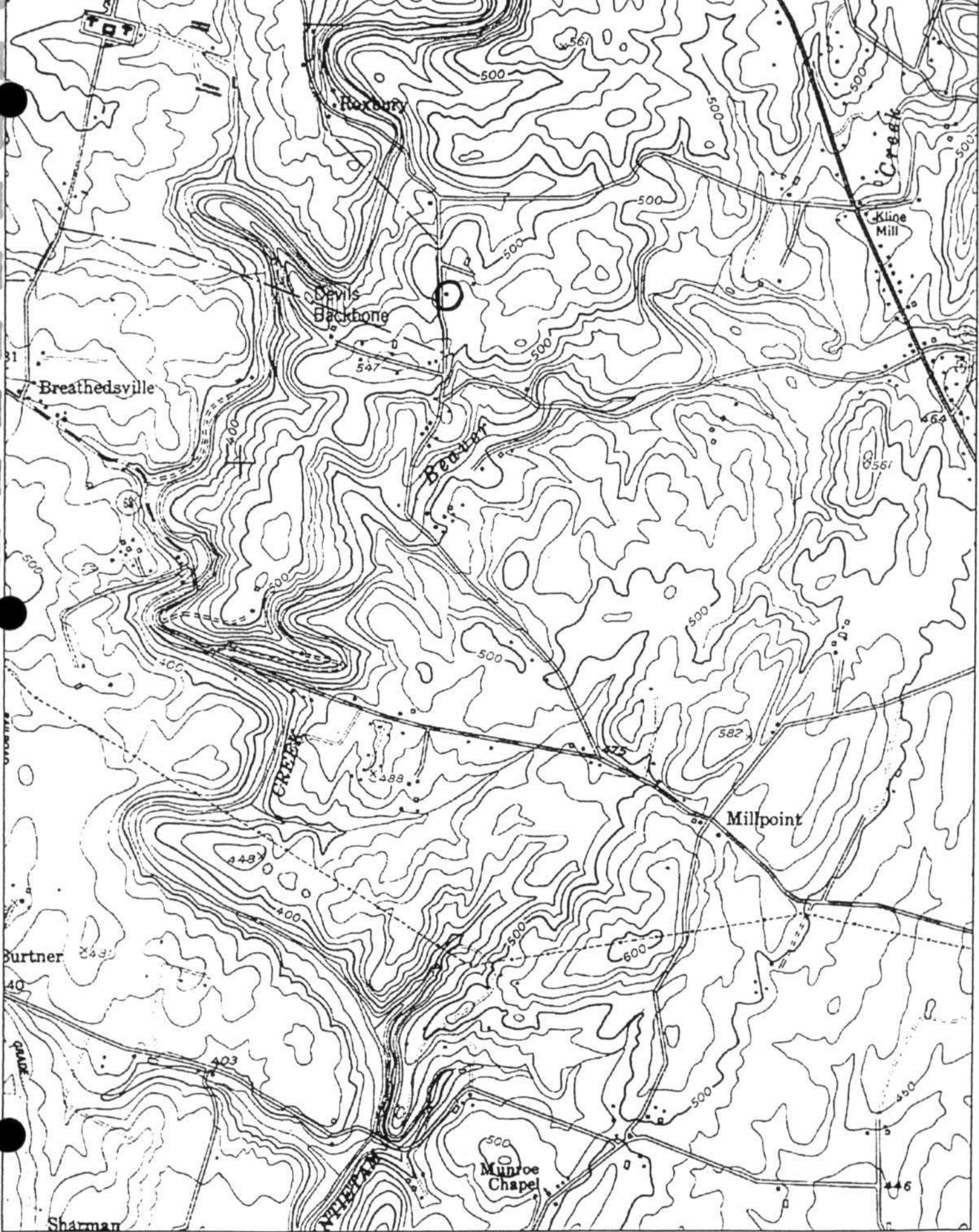
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Funkstown Quad

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View of 8543 Barnes Road.